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Daily Weather Threat Briefing

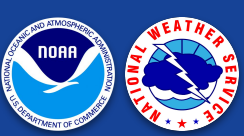
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Saturday, February 11



Day 1 (Sunday): Strong east to northeast winds gusting 45 to locally 75 mph will be found across the Sierra through Sunday evening, with somewhat lighter but still breezy conditions across the Sacramento Valley and southern California mountains. Light snow accumulation is also expected above 4,000 feet in southern California.



Weather Risk Outlook

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| | Sun, Feb 12 | Mon, Feb 13 | Tue, Feb 14 | Wed, Feb 15 | Thu, Feb 16 | Fri, Feb 17 | Sat, Feb 18 |
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| Fire Weather Low RH / Wind / Dry T-Storms | | | | | | | |
| Thunderstorms Wind / Hail / Tornadoes | | | | | | | |
| Cold | | | Coastal/ Inland | All Regions | All Regions | | |
| River Flooding | | | | | | | |
| Wind | Inland/ Southern | Coastal/ Inland | All Regions | Southern | | | |
| Heavy Rain Flash Flooding / Debris Flow | | | | | | | |
| Snow | Southern | | Coastal/Inland | | | | |
| Coastal Flooding | | | | | | | |

Risk Levels

Little to None

Minor

Moderate

Major

Extreme



Weather Key Points

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- A slow-moving storm system will maingain scattered rain and mountain snow showers across southern California through Sunday night
 - Minor travel impacts due to snow are possible in the mountains above 4,000 feet
 - Gusty north to east winds of 30 to locally 40 mph will be noted across the Sacramento Valley and southern California mountains, with gusts of 50 to locally 75 mph over the Sierra, especially south of I-80.
- Another winter storm will impact the state Monday through Wednesday
 - Strong, gusty winds are expected with this storm, starting along the northern coastline Monday, and then spreading into Inland and Southern Regions on Tuesday
 - Wind gusts in many areas will reach 40 to 50 mph, with local gusts of 55 to 75 mph in the mountains and some desert areas of southern California
 - These winds will create the potential for downed trees and power lines, as well as poor visibility in blowing dust and sand in the deserts
 - Scattered rain and mountain snow showers are also expected with this storm, most numerous across northwest coastal locations
 - With snow levels falling as low as 1,000 to 1,500 feet, some impacts to travel are likely across northern California, even though most precipitation will be light
- Much colder temperatures are expected for mid to late week, with sub-freezing overnight temperatures likely in many areas. Some additional precipitation is possible by late week or next weekend.

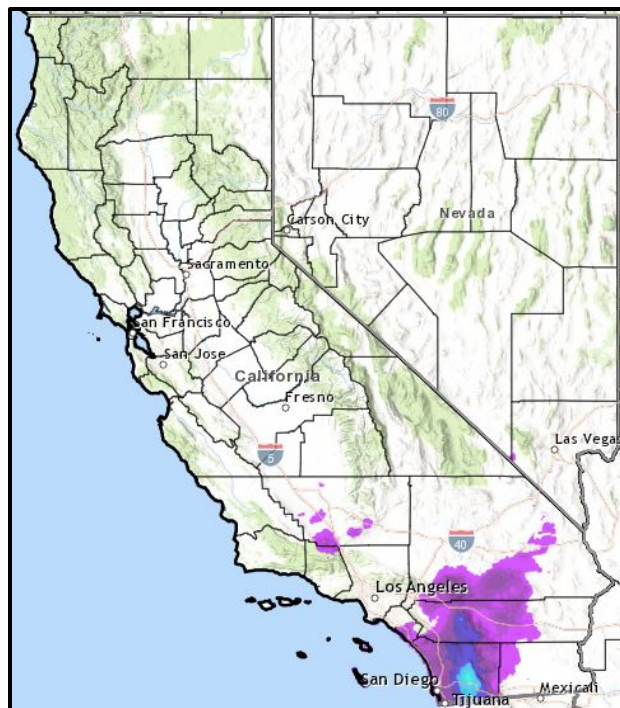


Daily Precipitation Forecast

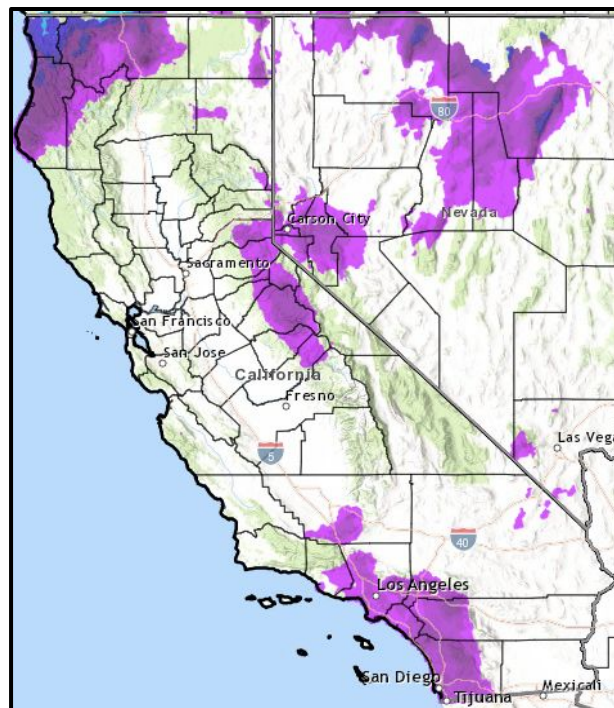
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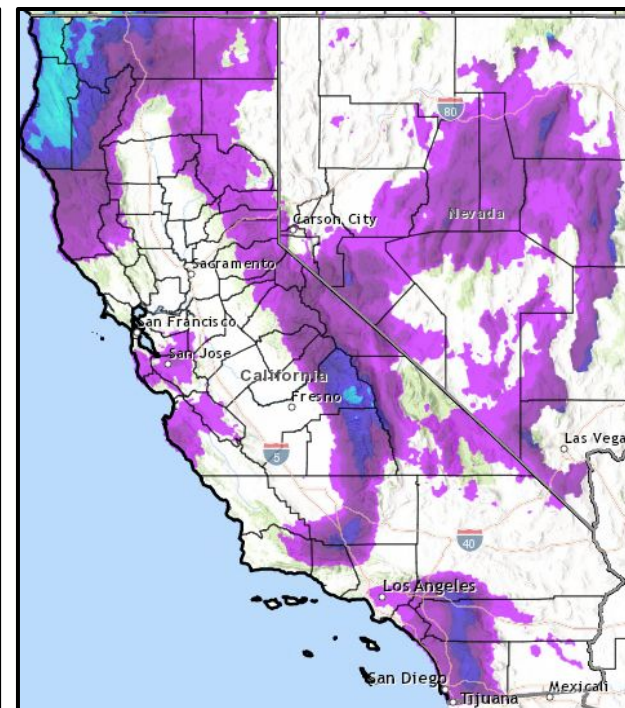
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Sunday



Monday



Tuesday

Important Note: Forecast precipitation amounts are an average for any particular location. Thunderstorms will produce locally much higher rainfall amounts.

Precipitation (inches)





Weather Outlook (6-14 Days)

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6-10 Day Outlook (February 17 - February 21)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored across the southern two-thirds of the state, with near normal precipitation favored across northern California

8-14 Day Outlook (February 19 - February 25)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures are again strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation is favored across much of the state, with near normal precipitation favored along the northern and central coast

Impact Level Definition

1. **Impactful weather is not expected.**
2. **Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.**
 - a. Localized impacts on commerce possible.
 - b. Includes events that occur frequently.
3. **Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.**
 - a. Impacts on commerce possible.
 - b. Includes events that occur a few times per year.
4. **Actions likely needed to save lives and/or property.**
 - a. Significant impacts to commerce possible.
 - b. Includes events that occur infrequently.
5. **Actions required to save lives and/or property.**
 - a. Significant and extended impacts to commerce.
 - b. Includes exceptionally rare events.

